## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS HOUSTON DIVISION

DISH NETWORK L.L.C.,

Civil Action No. 4:17-cv-01618

Plaintiff,

v.

SHAHJAHAN DURRANI, d/b/a ZemTV, and ADAM LACKMAN, d/b/a www.tvaddons.ag, www.tvaddons.org, www.streamingboxes.com, and www.offshoregit.com,

Defendants.

## Plaintiff DISH Network's Motion to Continue Conference

Plaintiff DISH Network L.L.C. ("DISH") requests that the Court continue the initial pretrial and scheduling conference set for October 20, 2017 to a date after service of process on defendants has been accomplished.

There is good cause for granting this continuance because DISH filed its Amended Complaint on September 25, 2017 (Dkt. 10) substituting the true names of the defendants for the placeholder "John Doe" parties listed in the original complaint. DISH also received an extension of time from this Court to accomplish service of process on defendants up to November 27, 2017 (Dkt. 9). The two defendants are located in the United Kingom and Canada, respectively, and summonses have been issued for each defendant. (Dkts. 11, 11-1).

The Court should grant DISH's request to continue the initial pretrial and scheduling conference set to a date in December 2017 or January 2018 in order to allow for service of process to occur as previously ordered, and to provide adequate time after service for the parties to confer and submit the joint report of meeting and joint discovery/case management plan as required by the order for conference and disclosure of interested parties (Dkt. 4).

Dated: October 10, 2017.

## Respectfully submitted,

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